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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.
 I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

"SURFACE MOUNTING OPTOELECTRONIC COMPONENT AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING SAME"

the specification of which (check only one item below):

- ☐ is attached hereto.
- ☒ was filed as United States application
 Serial No. 09/581,585
 on June 15, 2000
 and was amended
 on June 15, 2000 (if applicable).
- ☐ was filed as PCT international application
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 on _____
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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the content of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or of any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America listed below and have also identified below any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or any PCT International application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America filed by me on the same subject matter having a filing date before that of the application(s) of which priority is claimed:

PRIOR FOREIGN/PCT APPLICATION(S) AND ANY PRIORITY CLAIMS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 119:

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